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# PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT COVER SHEET

DOCKET NO. 01CON246P

IN RE APPLICATION OF: Soubra, et al.

SERIAL NO.: 09/370,792 FILED: August 5, 1999

FOR: Operating System Independent Method and Apparatus for Transporting Voice-Over-IP Information

HONORABLE COMMISSIONER OF PATENTS AND TRADEMARKS  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is a paper in the above-identified application. Any necessary extension of time period set for this paper is hereby requested.

☒ Enclosed are: (1) Preliminary Amendment, and (2) Postcard

☐ No additional fee is required.

☒ The fee has been calculated as shown below:

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☐ EXTENSION FEE

	RATE Non-Small Entity	RATE Small-Entity	FEE
FIRST MONTH AFTER TIME PERIOD SET	110.00	55.00	\$
SECOND MONTH AFTER TIME PERIOD SET	380.00	190.00	\$
THIRD MONTH AFTER TIME PERIOD SET	870.00	435.00	\$
FOURTH MONTH AFTER TIME PERIOD SET	1,360.00	680.00	\$

☐ TOTAL EXTENSION FEE \$ 0.00

☒ FEE FOR EXTRA CLAIMS added by Amendment in this response:

	Column 1	Column 2	Column 3			
	Number of Claims after Amendment	Number Previously Paid for	Number of Extra Claims	RATE Non-Small Entity	RATE Small Entity	FEE
TOTAL CLAIMS	32	20	12	x 18	x 9	\$216
INDEPENDENT	6	3	3	x 84	x 42	\$252
First presentation of multiple dependent claim				+ 260	+ 130	\$

TOTAL FEE FOR EXTRA CLAIMS \$ 468.00

\* If the entry in Column 1 is less than the entry of Column 2, write "0" in Column 3.

\*\* If the number of Total Claims previously paid for is less than 20, write "20" in this space.

\*\*\* If the number of Independent Claims previously paid for is less than 3, write "3" in this space.



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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant(s): Soubra, et al.	Group Art Unit: 2731
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Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir/Madam:

Please enter and consider this Preliminary Amendment prior to the examination of the above-referenced application.

In the Title:

Please replace the words "Voice-Over-Network Data" with the words --Voice-Over-IP Information--.

Marked-Up Version of the Amended Title

Operating System Independent Method and Apparatus for Transporting ~~Voice-Over-~~  
~~Network Data~~ Voice-Over-IP Information

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02 FC:102 252.00 CH

Clean Version of the Amended Title

Operating System Independent Method and Apparatus for Transporting Voice-Over-IP  
Information